



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Patent and Trademark Office
ASSISTANT SECRETARY AND COMMISSIONER
OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

OCT 16 1992

Basam E. Nabulsi
United States Surgical Corporation
150 Glover Avenue
Norwalk, CT 06856

Re: Status Regarding Certificate of Correction for
U.S. Patent No. 5,116,353

Dear Basam E. Nabulsi

On June 11, 1992 , we received a request for a Certificate of Correction for the above-referenced patent. We are currently experiencing a backlog of approximately 6-8 months. We appreciate your patience while we work through our backlog.

Should expedited services be required, please contact me at (703) 305-8127.

Sincerely,

Mary Allen, Manager
Certificates of Correction Branch
Office of Publication and Dissemination